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**PART IV.**

**Official Papers.**

*Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 26th May 1883.*

*Bangalore District.*—Thirty-eight cents of rain were gauged in the Cantonment of Bangalore and 60 cents in the Town. Standing crops in good condition. Harvesting of Vaisakha paddy continues. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good. Murrain prevalent in the Magadi and Anekal Taluks to a moderate extent. Drinking water and pasturage sufficient. Prices : 2nd sort rice 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  seers, ragi 33 seers, and horse-gram 31 seers per rupee.

*Kolar District.*—Nine cents of rain at Kolar. Standing crops generally thriving. A small quantity of valleyellu, harka and sajje has been sown. Vaisakha paddy continues to be harvested. Prospects of season fair. Public health good, but a few cases of small-pox in Kolar. Cattle disease prevails in Malur. Fodder and water procurable. Prices of food grains : rice 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 14 seers, and ragi 32 to 40 seers per rupee.

*Tumkur District.*—Crops in good condition generally, except in parts of the Maddagiri and Chellakere Taluks. Sugar-cane and paddy were harvested. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good, but small-pox in parts of the Tiptur and Chellakere Taluks. Murrain still prevalent in some taluks. Drinking water and fodder sufficient. Prices : 2nd sort rice 12 to 15 seers, ragi 40 to 50 seers, and horse-gram 36 to 50 seers per rupee.

*Mysore District.*—Thirty cents of rain at Mysore. Rain fell in all the Taluks except Hunsur. Kar-ragi, kar-paddy, yellu, tuvar and oil-seeds were sown. Crops in good condition. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good. Prices : 2nd sort rice 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  seers, ragi 26 $\frac{1}{2}$  seers and horse-gram 32 seers per rupee.

*Shimoga District.*—Standing crops in good condition, but paddy seedlings require rain. Paddy was sown in some Taluks. Kar-paddy was harvested in Nagar. Public health fair, but dysentery and diarrhoea prevalent. Murrain continues in parts. Prices : rice 14 to 18 seers, ragi 28 to 60 seers and jola 28 to 50 seers per rupee.

*Kadur District.*—One inch 60 cents of rain at Chikmagalur. Standing crops in good condition. Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane were sown. Vaisakha paddy was harvested in the Chikmagalur Taluk. Prospects of season favorable. Public health fair. Murrain prevalent in some parts. Water supply and pasturage sufficient. Prices : rice 12 to 20 seers and ragi 28 to 40 seers per rupee.

By Order,

T. SRINIVASAIENGAR,  
*Under-Secretary.*